PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

November 12, 2003

In re the Application of

Makoto KUDO et al.

Group Art Unit: 2123

Application No.: 09/532,514

Examiner:

F. O. Ferris III

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Docket No.: 105803

For:

METHOD OF IMPROVING PIN COMPATIBILITY IN MICROCOMPUTER EMULATION

EQUIPMENT (as previously amended)

LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a) AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 CFR §1.17

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